CAC-Training and the Operational Training Domain

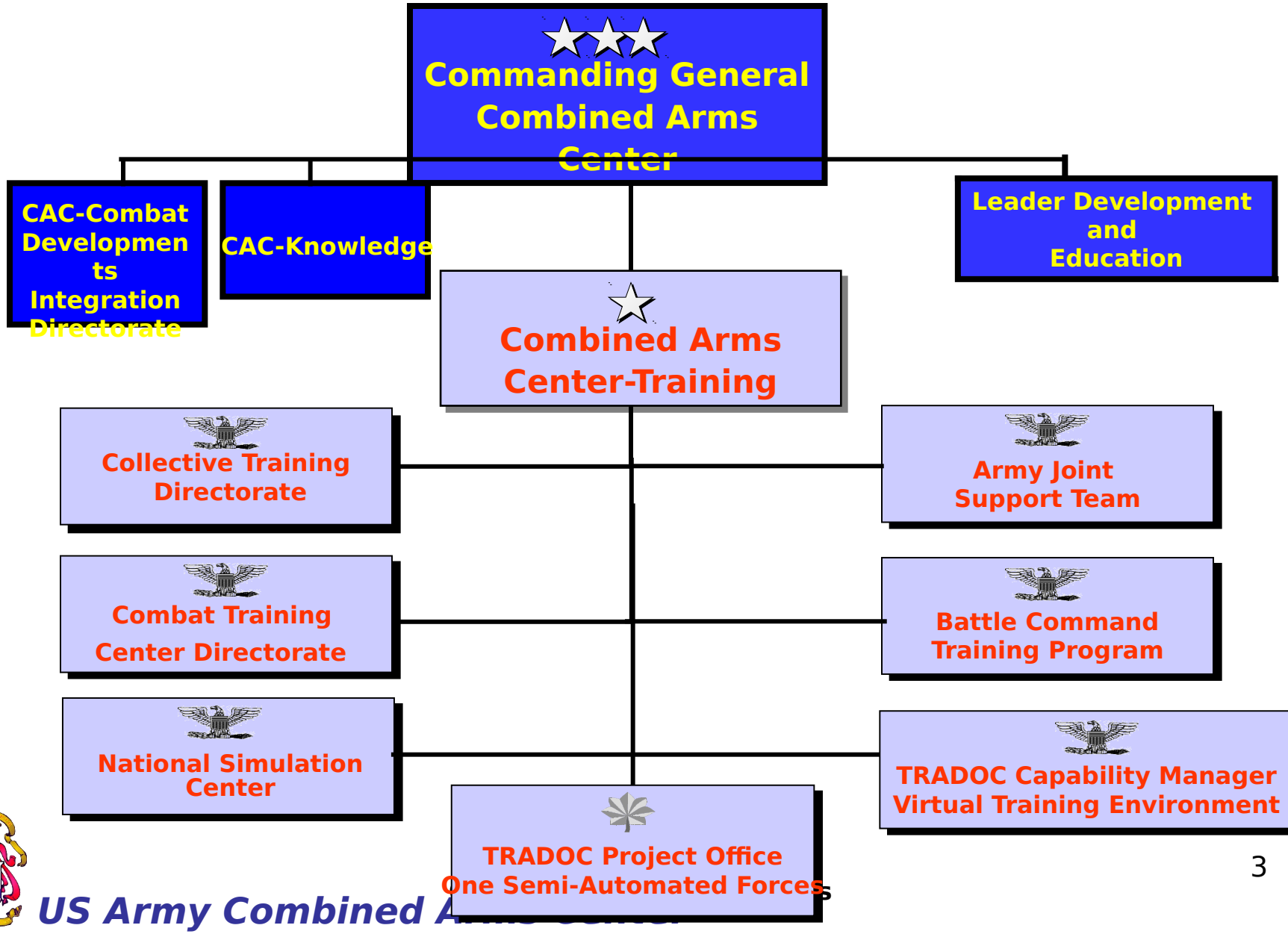
US Army Combined Arms Center

Core CAC-Training Functions

Manage development, resourcing, and integration of Army collective training requirements, and develop programs to train the Army to conduct full spectrum operations in all operational environments

- Oversee and manage collective training programs and strategies
- Provide training support for battle command
- Develop and manage virtual and constructive simulations
- Develop a live, virtual, constructive training environment
- Manage Army Combat Training Center (CTC) programs
- Provide joint air - ground training
- Execute the Battle Command Training Program (BCTP)

Combined Arms Center-Training



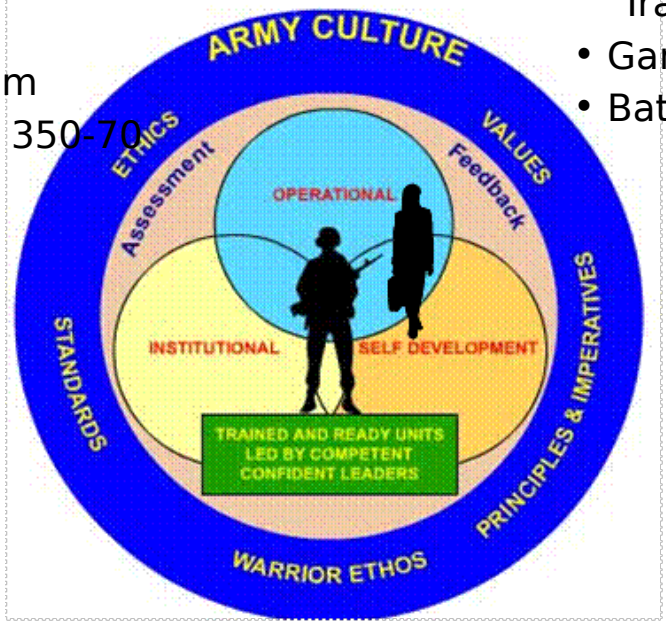
CAC-T Programs Affecting LD

Collective Training Directorate

- FM 7-0 & Army Training Network
- Task base—collective and individual
- Training Strategies: CATS, BC, FCS, IEDD
- Battle Command MTTs
- Digital Training Mgmt System
- Training Development & TR 350-70
- MCO task rekindling

CTC Directorate

- Resourcing: Modernization & OPTEMPO
- CTC Army regulation and Master Plan
- Standardization
- OC Warfighting Forum



National Simulation Center

- Combat development of constructive
- Constructive sims spt to training doma
- Live, Virtual, Constructive Training Environment
- Gaming
- Battle Command Training Support Pro

TRADOC Capability Mgr Virtua

- Combat development of virtual
- EST 2000
- Virtual Simulators
  - o Mounted
  - o Dismounted
  - o Aviation
  - o Reconfigurable vehicles
  - o Convoy trainers

Battle Command Training Program

- COIN Seminar
- Battle Command Seminar
- Training Cdrs and Staffs—All Bdes thru ASCC
- Unified action exercises with JFCOM
- Staff assistance visits
- Nested BCTP-to-MCTC scenarios

Army Joint Support Team

- Army Training Spt Element—Nellis AFB
- Battlefield Coordination Detachments & Joint C2 Lab
- Platform instruction with 505th C2 Wing
- Joint Firepower MTTs
- BCD support to BCTP exercises

LD and the Operational Training Domain

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- LD is more than the institutional pillar and education
- Training and leader development are inextricably linked
- LD = function of institutional, operational, self-development training domains
- FM 7-0 emphasizes the complementary nature of the training domains
- Leaders are developed at home station, at the combat training centers, and while deployed . . . as well as in the classroom
- Collective training requirements drive individual training requirements
- Institutional training prepares individuals for success in operational assignments
- Lessons best learned/best remembered occur in operational assignments
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Good training develops good leaders
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